

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary)	Complete if Known <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%;">Application Number</td> <td>10/643,758</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Filing Date</td> <td>August 18, 2003</td> </tr> <tr> <td>First Named Inventor</td> <td>Sheets, Kitrick</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Group Art Unit</td> <td>2186</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Examiner Name</td> <td>Tsai, Sheng</td> </tr> </table>	Application Number	10/643,758	Filing Date	August 18, 2003	First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick	Group Art Unit	2186	Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng
Application Number	10/643,758										
Filing Date	August 18, 2003										
First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick										
Group Art Unit	2186										
Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng										
Sheet 1 of 4	Attorney Docket No: 1376.729US1										

US PATENT DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initial *	USP Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Filing Date If Appropriate
/S.T./	US-5,375,223	12/20/1994	Meyers, S. D., et al.	01/07/1993
/S.T./	US-5,530,933	06/25/1996	Frink, C. R., et al.	02/24/1994
/S.T./	US-5,796,980	08/18/1998	Bowles, J. E.	02/22/1996
/S.T./	US-5,835,951	11/10/1998	McMahan, S. C.	02/27/1996
/S.T./	US-5,987,571	11/16/1999	Shibata, M., et al.	04/23/1997
/S.T./	US-6,014,728	01/11/2000	Baror, G.	01/21/1997
/S.T./	US-6,519,685	02/11/2003	Chang, S. S.	12/22/1999
/S.T./	US-7,243,211	07/10/2007	Kohn, J. R.	08/18/2003

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	Y ²
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/235,898 (Atty. Ref. 1376.710US1), Non Final Office Action mailed 07-07-04, 12 pgs	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/235,898 (Atty. Ref. 1376.710US1), Notice of Allowance mailed 03-15-05, 4 pgs	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/235,898 (Atty. Ref. 1376.710US1), Amendment and Response filed 01-06-05 to Non Final Office Action mailed 07-07-04, 16 pgs	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty. Ref. 1376.730US1), Non-Final Office Action Mailed 8-7-07, 31 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Advisory Action mailed 5-21-07, 3 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Final Office Action mailed 3-5-07, 31 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 1-30-06, 33 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 7-28-06, 30 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), RCE and Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 filed 7-12-07 to Final Office Action mailed 3-5-07, 19 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Response filed 11-28-2006 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 7-28-06, 15 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Response filed 5-1-2006 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 1-30-2006, 29 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,574 (Atty Ref 1376.730US1), Response filed 5-4-2007 to Final Office Action mailed 3-5-07, 15 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Advisory Action mailed 4-2-07, 3 pgs.	

EXAMINER /Sheng Jen Tsai/ DATE CONSIDERED 10/05/2007

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>	Complete if Known <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%;">Application Number</td> <td>10/643,758</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Filing Date</td> <td>August 18, 2003</td> </tr> <tr> <td>First Named Inventor</td> <td>Sheets, Kitrick</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Group Art Unit</td> <td>2186</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Examiner Name</td> <td>Tsai, Sheng</td> </tr> </table>	Application Number	10/643,758	Filing Date	August 18, 2003	First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick	Group Art Unit	2186	Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng
Application Number	10/643,758										
Filing Date	August 18, 2003										
First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick										
Group Art Unit	2186										
Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng										
Sheet 2 of 4	Attorney Docket No: 1376.729US1										

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ²
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Advisory Action mailed 8-14-06, 3 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Amendment and Response filed 12-4-06 to Office Action mailed 10-23-06, 17 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Amendment and Response filed 3-22-07 to Final Office Action mailed 1-25-07, 23 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Amendment and Response filed 3-27-06 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 9-26-05, 7 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Amendment and Response filed 8-3-06 to Final Office Action mailed 4-14-06, 9 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Final Office Action mailed 1-25-07, 17 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Final Office Action mailed 4-14-06, 13 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 10-23-06, 12 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 9-26-05, 9 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Notice of Allowance mailed 6-11-07, 6 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), RCE and Amendment and Response filed 4-23-07 to Final Office Action mailed 1-25-07 and the Advisory Action mailed 4-2-07, 15 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Request for Continued Examination filed 9-14-06, 1 pg.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,585 (Atty Ref 1376.700US1), Response to Rule 312 Communication mailed 7-23-07, 2 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Advisory Action mailed 1-18-07, 3 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Final Office Action mailed 10-19-06	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-8-06, 21 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 5-2-07, 36 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), RCE and Amendment and Response filed 2-16-07 to Final Office Action mailed 10-19-06 and the Advisory Action mailed 1-18-07, 19 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Response filed 1-5-2007 to Final Office Action mailed 10-19-2006, 22 pgs.	

EXAMINER

/Sheng Jen Tsai/

DATE CONSIDERED

10/05/2007

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>	Complete if Known	
	Application Number	10/643,758
	Filing Date	August 18, 2003
	First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick
	Group Art Unit	2186
	Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng
Sheet 3 of 4		Attorney Docket No: 1376.729US1

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ²
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,586 (Atty Ref 1376.699US1), Response filed 8-1-2006 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-8-2006, 24 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,587 (Atty Ref 1376.717US1), Amendment and Response filed 8-13-07 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 5-8-07, 20 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,587 (Atty Ref 1376.717US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 5-8-07, 14 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-16-06, 33 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 8-11-06, 29 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Notice of Allowance mailed 2-28-07 5 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Notice of Allowance mailed 7-19-07, 5 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Response filed 1-11-07 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 8-11-06, 15 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,727 (Atty Ref 1376.731US1), Response filed 6-15-06 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-16-06, 21 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1) Response filed 1-16-06 Non-Final Office Action mailed 9-26-05, 13 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1) Response filed 6-19-2006 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-17-06", 10 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1), Final Office Action mailed 4-17-07, 12 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-17-06", 9 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 9-26-05", 11 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,738 (Atty Ref 1376.726US1), Response filed 7-17-07 to Final Office Action mailed 4-17-07", 17 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,741 (Atty Ref 1376.733US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 4-5-07, 19 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,741 (Atty Ref 1376.733US1), Response filed 6-4-07 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 4-5-07, 16 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,742 (Atty Ref 1376.697US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 6-4-07, 13 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Advisory Action mailed 11-22-06, 3 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Final Office Action mailed 9-14-06, 21 pgs.	

EXAMINER

/Sheng Jen Tsai/

DATE CONSIDERED

10/05/2007

Substitute Disclosure Statement Form (PTO-1448)

* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 809. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional) ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary)	Complete if Known	
	Application Number	10/643,758
	Filing Date	August 18, 2003
	First Named Inventor	Sheets, Kitrick
	Group Art Unit	2186
	Examiner Name	Tsai, Sheng
Sheet 4 of 4		Attorney Docket No: 1376.729US1

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ²
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-8-06, 16 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 7-5-07, 23 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Response filed 11-7-06 to Final Office Action mailed 9-14-06, 12 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Response filed 3-30-07 to Final Office Action mailed 11-22-06, 10 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,754 (Atty Ref 1376.724US1), Response filed 7-10-06 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 2-8-06, 12 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,769 (Atty Ref 1376.718US1) Response filed 7-23-07 to Non-Final Office Action mailed 4-23-07, 12 pgs.	
/S.T./		Application Serial No. 10/643,769 (Atty Ref 1376.718US1), Non-Final Office Action mailed 4-23-07, 13 pgs.	

EXAMINER

/Sheng Jen Tsai/

DATE CONSIDERED 10/05/2007

Substitute Disclosure Statement Form (PTO-1449)

* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 809. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional) ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached